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October 15, 2002

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Attn: Deposit Account

Re: Deposit Account No. 10-1213

Sir:

In the Deposit Account Statement dated August 30, 2002, a charge of \$462 was made against Application No. 09/898,469 - "Chen Interle" under fee code 202.

We believe the charge may be in error.

The application was filed as a small entity case with 113 total claims, including 19 independent claims. We believe the fee should be as follows:

Base Fee

\$ 370.00

Total Claims:

 $113-20=93 \times \$9.00 = \$ 837.00$

Independent Claims:

 $19-3 = 16 \times 42.00 = 672.00$

Late Fee Surcharge 65.00

2-month Extension

\$ 200.00

Total Fee Due

\$2144.00

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231 October 15, 2002 Page Two Paid by Check #16550 <u>\$1724.00</u> Amount Due this to our deposit account.

If the foregoing is correct, \$420.00 should have been charged to our deposit account. However, the actual charge made on August 26, 2002 was \$462.00, for an apparent overcharge of \$42.00. If this is correct, please credit

\$ 420.00

Very truly yours,

JONES, PULPAR & COOPER, P.C.

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